

**WCFE – Mountain Lake PBS - Plattsburgh, NY**  
**Quarterly Program Topic Report**  
**January 1 – March 31, 2010**

**Aging**

NOLA: INLE 001110  
Series Title: Independent Lens  
Episode Title: Young @ Heart/George and Rosemary  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 1/12/2010 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 01:56:46

The surprising, delightful, entertaining and inspiring members of the Young@Heart Chorus, a New England senior citizens chorus, have charmed audiences worldwide with their renditions of songs by everyone from the Clash to Coldplay. As Stephen Walker's critically acclaimed documentary begins, the retirees, led by their demanding musical director, are rehearsing their new show, struggling with Sonic Youth's dissonant rock anthem "Schizophrenia" and giving new meaning to James Brown's "I Feel Good." What ultimately emerges is a funny and unexpectedly moving testament to friendship, creative inspiration and expectations defied.

**American History/Biography**

NOLA: AMEX 002202  
Series Title: Wyatt Earp: American Experience  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/25/2010 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

He has been portrayed in countless movies and television shows by some of Hollywood's greatest actors, including Henry Fonda, Jimmy Stewart and, more recently, Kevin Costner, but these popular fictions belie the complexities and flaws of a man whose life is a lens on politics, justice and economic opportunity on the American frontier. As a young man, Wyatt Earp was a caricature of the Western lawman, spending his days drinking in saloons, gambling, visiting brothels and gaining notoriety as the legendary gunman in the shootout at the OK Corral in Tombstone, Arizona. Shortly after his death in 1929, distressed Americans down on their luck transformed Wyatt Earp into a folk hero: a central figure in the American narrative of how the West was won, a man who took control of his own destiny.

NOLA: BLAA 000000  
Series Title: Benjamin Latrobe: America's First Architect  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/18/2010 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Noted architecture critic Paul Goldberger hosts this documentary biography of Benjamin Latrobe, the creator of the first uniquely "American" architecture. Latrobe's tumultuous life was a series of creative triumphs, personal tragedies and constant re-invention. The film features computer-generated animation, interviews with architects and historians and location shooting as Goldberger explores Latrobe's life, from his early years in England to his immigration to the young republic and his work on such iconic buildings as the U.S. Capitol, the White House and the Baltimore Basilica.

### Arts

NOLA: AMMS 002208  
Series Title: American Masters  
Episode Title: Sam Cooke: Crossing Over  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/11/2010 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Sam Cooke put the spirit of the Black church into popular music -- creating a new sound and setting into motion a chain of events that forever altered the course of popular music and race relations in America. With "You Send Me" in 1957, Cooke became the first African American artist to reach #1 on both the R&B and the pop charts. It was groundbreaking. It was also risky for this young gospel performer to alienate his fans by embracing "the devil's music" -- but he proved, with his pop/gospel hybrid, that it was, indeed, possible to win over white teenage listeners and keep his faithful church followers intact.

NOLA: TAMS 000000  
Series Title: T.A.M.I. Show - Rock'n'Roll's First Concert Film; The  
Length: 119 minutes  
Airdate: 3/6/2010 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-SIP  
Format: Feature Film/Video Drama  
Segment Length: 01:59:00

Filmed just eight months after The Beatles appeared on The Ed Sullivan Show, THE T.A.M.I. SHOW introduced rock 'n' soul youth culture to America in the first concert movie of the rock era. One of the rarest and most sought-after performance films from its time, the 1964 concert event featured future Rock and Roll Hall of Famers James Brown, Chuck Berry, The Beach Boys, Marvin Gaye, Smokey Robinson & The Miracles, The Supremes and many other American and British Invasion hitmakers in their prime. This legendary film hasn't been seen in its entirety since it originally appeared in theaters in 1964. Mastered from a new High Definition transfer and UNCUT, this complete version features the Beach Boys' performances that were removed following the film's initial theatrical run.

## Business/Industry

NOLA: INLE 001111  
Series Title: Independent Lens  
Episode Title: Copyright Criminals  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/24/2010 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Computers, software and even cell phones have radically altered our relationship to mass culture and technology, providing consumers with the tools to become producers, or "remixers," of their own media. But long before everyday people began posting their video mash-ups on the Web, hip-hop musicians perfected the art of audio montage through a sport they called "sampling." "Copyright Criminals," a documentary by Benjamin Franzen and Kembrew McLeod, examines the creative and commercial value of musical sampling, including the ongoing debates about artistic expression, copyright law and (of course) money.

NOLA: BLUP 000000  
Series Title: Blueprint America: Beyond the Motor City  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 2/8/2010 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Blueprint America: Beyond the Motor City examines how Detroit, a symbol of America's diminishing status in the world, may come to represent the future of transportation and progress in America. Detroit is the crucible in which the nation's ability to move toward a modern 21st century transportation infrastructure is put to the test. The documentary shows how investments in the past--beginning with the construction of canals in the 18th century--profoundly shaped Detroit's physical layout, population growth and economic development. Before being dubbed the Motor City, Detroit was once home to the nation's most extensive streetcar system. In fact, it was that vast network of streetcars that carried workers to the area's many car factories. And it was the cars made in those factories that would soon displace the streetcars in Detroit--and in every major American city. Detroit's engineers went on to design the nation's first urban freeways and inspired much of America's 20th century transportation infrastructure system--from traffic signals to gas stations--that became the envy of the world. But over the last 30 years, much of the world has moved on, choosing faster, cleaner, more modern transportation and leaving America--and Detroit--behind. Viewers are taken on a journey beyond Detroit's blighted urban landscape to Spain, home to one of the world's most modern and extensive transit systems; to California, where voters recently said yes to America's first high speed rail system; and to Washington, where Congress will soon decide whether to finally push America's transportation into the 21st century.

NOLA: MLNH 009683  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 3/12/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Boost in Retail Sales Hints at Economic Recovery: Retail sales increased in February, despite major snowstorms in the eastern United States and consistently high unemployment. Judy Woodruff talks to an economist about whether recovery could soon follow.

NOLA: MLJ0610H  
Series Title: Mountain Lake Journal  
Length: 26:46  
Airdate: 3/10/2010 8:00:00 PM  
Service: WCFE  
Format: HD  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

DOWN UNDER: A Canadian company holds its first public meeting on its 4-billion dollar plan to bury high power electric transmission lines in Lake Champlain. We'll talk one-on-one with the company's CEO about the project to bring cheaper Canadian hydro-power across the border.

NOLA: MLJX0602H  
Series Title: Mountain Lake Journal Extra  
Length: 26:46  
Airdate: 1/14/2010 8:30:00 PM  
Service: WCFE  
Format: HD  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

FISHING TOURNAMENTS = BIG BUSINESS: A new survey shows just how big an economic impact professional fishing tournaments have on the Lake Champlain Region. Economist Colin Read analyzes one of the area's growth engines.

### Consumerism

NOLA: MLNH 009653  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/29/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

News Wrap--Economy's Growth Surprises, But Jobs Still Lag: In other news, the U.S. economy grew by 5.7 percent in the fourth quarter, more than expected, and Toyota outlined steps it is taking to help end an unprecedented recall.

NOLA: NOWD 000610  
Series Title: Now on PBS  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 3/5/2010 9:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Food, Inc. Behind the food we love--Secrets that giant food companies don't want you to know. Americans have a longstanding love affair with food--the modern supermarket has, on average, 47,000 products. But do we really know what goes into making the products we so eagerly consume? This week, David Brancaccio talks with Robert Kenner, director of the Oscar-nominated documentary "Food, Inc.," which takes a hard look at the secretive and surprising journey food takes on the way from processing plants to our dinner tables. The two discuss why contemporary food processing secrets are so closely guarded, their impact on our health, and another surprising fact: how consumers are actually empowered to make a difference. Find out why you'll never look at dinner the same way.

#### Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement

NOLA: MLNH 009633  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/1/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Shields and Brooks Examine Security Debate, Politics in 2010: Columnists Mark Shields and David Brooks discuss the stories of the week, including the political fallout from the failed attempt to blow up a U.S. airliner on Christmas Day and the prospects for politics in 2010.

NOLA: NOWD 000606  
Series Title: Now on PBS  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 2/5/2010 9:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Democrats and the New Politics of Abortion. Has the Democratic Party abandoned support of reproductive rights? To gain their historic control of Congress, Democrats fielded moderate candidates who didn't always follow the party line, especially when it came to abortion. Now that the Democratic Party has the legislative upper hand, are they willing to negotiate away reproductive rights for other political gains? This week, NOW goes to Allentown, Pennsylvania to ask: Are abortion rights now in jeopardy at the very hands of the party that has historically protected them? Among those interviewed are pro-life Democratic U.S. Representative Bart Stupak and former DNC Chairman Howard Dean.

NOLA: MLNH 009684  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 3/15/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Deaths of Americans Raise New Concerns Over Mexico's Drug War: U.S. and Mexican authorities are investigating the possible drug cartel violence that left two Americans and a Mexican with ties to the U.S. consulate in Juarez dead over the weekend. Gwen Ifill talks to a journalist about the escalating violence across the border.

### Culture

NOLA: FRON 002809  
Series Title: Frontline  
Episode Title: Digital Nation  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 2/2/2010 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 01:26:46

Over a single generation, the Web and digital media have remade nearly every aspect of modern culture, transforming the way we work, learn, and connect in ways that we're only beginning to understand. FRONTLINE producer Rachel Dretzin (Growing up Online) teams up with one of the leading thinkers of the digital age, Douglas Rushkoff (The Persuaders, Merchants of Cool), to continue to explore life on the virtual frontier. The film is the product of a unique collaboration with visitors to the Digital Nation Web site, who for the past year have been able to react to the work in progress and post their own stories online. Dretzin and her team report from the front lines of digital culture--from love affairs blossoming in virtual worlds, to the thoroughly wired classrooms of the future, to military bases where the Air Force is fighting a new form of digital warfare.

### Economy

NOLA: BMJL 001337  
Series Title: Bill Moyers Journal  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/8/2010 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

David Corn and Kevin Drum on Big Money and Big Politics: MOTHER JONES journalists David Corn and Kevin Drum offer a hard look at the obstacles to real reform of the financial industry. Moyers on Greed: A Bill Moyers essay.

NOLA: MLNH 009642  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/14/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Big Banks Brace for Major Tax Hike: President Obama announced Thursday plans to tax the nation's biggest banks to recoup TARP costs. But not everyone thinks this is such a great idea.

NOLA: MLJ0602H  
Series Title: Mountain Lake Journal  
Length: 26:46  
Airdate: 1/14/2010 8:00:00 PM  
Service: WCFE  
Format: HD  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

NEW YORK BUDGET CRISIS: The Governor's budget plan calls for streamlining state government and consolidating several state agencies to save money, and could a controversial sport help New York weather its fiscal crisis?

NOLA: MLJ0603H  
Series Title: Mountain Lake Journal  
Length: 26:46  
Airdate: 1/21/2010 8:00:00 PM  
Service: WCFE  
Format: HD  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

GLOBAL RECESSION: A McGill University Professor who teaches graduate courses in globalization and leadership will lead a team of students to the Persian Gulf region to study how the global recession has brought the financial and construction boon in Dubai to a grinding halt.

NOLA: MLNH 009673  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 2/26/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Could Budget Reconciliation Buoy Health Reform?: As Democrats prepare to move ahead with health reform, Kwame Holman offers a primer on how they may use Senate rules to advance the legislation without Republican support.

### **Employment**

NOLA: MLNH 009638  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/8/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Job Growth Stalls as Economic Outlook Remains Murky: The unemployment rate held steady at 10 percent in December, according to new figures released Friday. As part of his continuing series of reports on making sense of the economy, Paul Solman travels to Atlanta to gauge the hiring outlook in a down economy.

NOLA: MLNH 009678  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour

Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 3/5/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

News Wrap--Jobless Claims Boost Confidence on Wall Street: In other news Friday, positive unemployment numbers from Labor Department helped Wall Street rally, and General Motors announced it will reinstate 600 dealerships it had planned to close.

### **Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters**

NOLA: MLNH 009640  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/12/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

7.0 Earthquake, Aftershocks Rip Through Haiti: A 7.0 earthquake tore through the impoverished Caribbean nation of Haiti on Tuesday. The quake, which struck just 14 miles from the capital of Port-au-Prince, is the largest recorded in the area. An earthquake expert from the U.S. Geological Survey and a worker for an aid group in Haiti who felt the quake offer their insight.

NOLA: MLJ0602H  
Series Title: Mountain Lake Journal  
Length: 26:46  
Airdate: 1/14/2010 8:00:00 PM  
Service: WCFE  
Format: HD  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

FAMILY RELIEF EFFORT: A family from the Adirondacks has joined the relief efforts helping the victims of the massive earthquake in Haiti. Lisa Bartow's husband, 2 of her teenaged children, and her 2 sisters are flew to Haiti to deliver medical supplies and other donations. Lisa stayed behind to coordinate their efforts from their home in Lake Luzerne, NY.

NOLA: MLJ0608H  
Series Title: Mountain Lake Journal  
Length: 26:46  
Airdate: 2/25/2010 8:00:00 PM  
Service: WCFE  
Format: HD  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

UNDERWATER TRANSMISSION LINE: An environmental watchdog group is raising questions and concerns over a proposal to run an underwater transmission line the entire length of Lake Champlain. The CEO of the Canadian company proposing the nearly 4-billion dollar project says it'll help bring cheaper hydro and wind power to New York.



NOLA: NAAT 002705  
Series Title: Nature  
Episode Title: Hummingbirds: Magic in the Air  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/10/2010 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Hummingbirds represent one of nature's most interesting paradoxes - they are the tiniest of birds, yet they qualify as some of the toughest and most energetic creatures on the planet. Knowledge gained from scientists currently making great breakthroughs in hummingbird biology makes this a perfect time to focus on these shimmering, flashing jewels of the natural world. Beautiful high-definition, high-speed footage of hummingbirds in the wild, combined with high-tech presentations of their remarkable abilities, help viewers to understand the world of hummingbirds as never before.

NOLA: NOVA 003705  
Series Title: NOVA  
Episode Title: Extreme Cave Diving  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 2/9/2010 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

In a daring work of filmmaking, NOVA follows a scientific expedition into watery caves that hold clues to the future of our climate.

### **Family/Marriage**

NOLA: APLO 006007  
Series Title: Place of Our Own; A  
Episode Title: Tantrums  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 1/12/2010 5:30:00 AM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

English-language companion to the Spanish-language series LOS NINOS EN SU CASA. Both shows are designed for parents or anyone else who takes care of young kids: grandparents, nannies, babysitters and home daycare providers. The shows cover subjects such as: tantrums, literacy, preventing obesity, speech and language delays. These series combine an entertainment format -- the daytime talk/demonstration show -- with solid educational information on how young children learn, and what adults need to know to help kids be prepared for kindergarten and beyond.

NOLA: MLNH 009639  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/11/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:

Segment Length: 00:00:00

Same-Sex Marriage Battle Heads to Federal Court in Calif.: California's ban on same-sex marriage went on trial Monday in federal court. The landmark case is being likened to a modern version of Brown v. Board of Education, in which the issue of civil rights became a legal matter.

NOLA: INLE 001112  
Series Title: Independent Lens  
Episode Title: P-Star Rising  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 2/14/2010 11:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 01:26:46

The story of a single-father who is determined that his 9-year old daughter become a rap star and thus redeem his deferred dream. We follow the father-daughter duo through the grit and glamour of the music industry, the struggles of being a single dad with no means, and the sacrifices a child makes in order to make her daddy proud.

NOLA: FOAM 000104  
Series Title: Faces of America  
Episode Title: Know Thyself  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 3/4/2010 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Know Thyself Episode Four takes up the search for the guests' ancestries where the historical record leaves off and links their distinctive family histories to the broader history of the family of man. Combining the documented stories of some of the guests' last known ancestors with DNA evidence, the series travel backward through time to reveal both distant relatives and surprising shared ancestral connections. Elizabeth Alexander learns that she is a direct descendent of Charlemagne, and that her paternal roots are not only European, but Jewish. Meryl Streep and Mike Nichols discover that they are distant cousins, as do Yo-Yo Ma and Eva Longoria. Interwoven with these stories and others is the journey of the host, Henry Louis Gates, Jr. as he and his father and brother undertake an historic project to have their entire genomes mapped, and thereby to learn everything they possibly can about their own family. This episode offers a compelling and thought-provoking meditation on the importance of ancestry, the meaning of family and the role of both in creating identity.

### Health/Health Care

NOLA: MLNH 009637  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/7/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS

Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

With H1N1 Vaccine Now Abundant, Flu Fears Ease: With the H1N1 vaccine no longer in short supply, the crowds that once lined clinics nationwide are now gone. But has the rush to get vaccinated slowed too soon? Ray Suarez reports.

NOLA: TEMO 000101  
Series Title: This Emotional Life  
Episode Title: Family, Friends & Lovers  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 1/4/2010 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 01:56:46

The first episode looks at the importance of relationships and why they are central to our emotional well-being. What are the cognitive and neurological processes underpinning our everyday interactions, and can they help us to understand why some relationships flourish and others fail? We meet a young boy adopted from a Russian orphanage, whose story illustrates how a lack of attachment in infancy fundamentally shapes his ability to build relationships for years to come. We meet the young parents of newborn twins; a couple in therapy for a troubled marriage; a teenager who was bullied with tragic consequences; two women grappling with the stress of workplace conflicts; and other characters - all to better understand the importance of social connections and relationships.

NOLA: MLJ0611H  
Series Title: Mountain Lake Journal  
Length: 26:46  
Airdate: 3/18/2010 8:00:00 PM  
Service: WCFE  
Format: HD  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

MUMPS OUTBREAK: Plattsburgh State University is trying to contain a mumps outbreak on campus. More than 200 students who haven't had all their shots won't be allowed to return to campus next week, after spring break, unless they get vaccinated.

NOLA: MLJ0613H  
Series Title: Mountain Lake Journal  
Length: 26:46  
Airdate: 4/01/2010 8:00:00 PM  
Service: WCFE  
Format: HD  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

OWENS ON HEALTH CARE: Congressman Bill Owens joins us for an in-depth interview about the historic vote on health care, why he voted the way he did, and if he believes his "yes" vote could cost him his seat when he seeks re-election this fall.

NOLA: NOWD 000604  
Series Title: Now on PBS  
Length: 30 minutes

Airdate: 1/22/2010 9:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Who's Helping Our Wounded Vets? America's new wounded warriors--Why are their family caregivers overworked and under-supported? The Pentagon estimates that as many as one in five American soldiers are coming home from war zones with traumatic brain injuries, many of which require round-the-clock attention. But lost in the reports of these returning soldiers are the stories of family members who often sacrifice everything to care for them. This week, NOW reveals how little has been done to help these family caregivers, and reports on dedicated efforts to support them.

NOLA: MLNH 009684  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 3/15/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Twisting Arms and Counting Votes: Obama, Democrats Gear Up for Final Reform Push: President Barack Obama made the case for health care reform Monday in Ohio, putting muscle behind congressional leadership as they look to secure votes to pass the reform bill. Kwame Holman reports.

### Media

NOLA: MLNH 009635  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/5/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Hidden Lens--Inside National Geographic's Photo Vault: Jeffrey Brown visits National Geographic's vault of more than 11.5 million images spanning more than a century of photography and illustration.

NOLA: NOWD 000603  
Series Title: Now on PBS  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 1/15/2010 9:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Saving American Journalism. A radical plan to save journalism in America. Is good journalism going extinct? Fractured audiences and tight budgets have

downsized or sunk many of the fourth estate's major battleships, including this very program. This week, NOW's David Brancaccio talks to professor Bob McChesney and journalist John Nichols about the perils of a shrinking news media landscape, and their bold proposal to save journalism with government subsidies. Their new book is "The Death and Life of American Journalism: The Media Revolution that Will Begin the World Again." Should journalism get the next government bailout?

### **National Politics/Government**

NOLA: MLNH 009642  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/14/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Big Banks Brace for Major Tax Hike: President Obama announced Thursday plans to tax the nation's biggest banks to recoup TARP costs. But not everyone thinks this is such a great idea.

NOLA: NOWD 000608  
Series Title: Now on PBS  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 2/19/2010 9:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Angry Voters. Will angry voters toss out the incumbents this fall? From the raucous Tea Party rallies to the painful sacrifices families are making behind closed doors, voter angst and anger are sweeping the country like a storm. Directly in its path: the 2010 midterm elections. This week, NOW examines the strong impact this groundswell has already had on electoral politics, and what we can expect in November. Our investigation uncovers what motivates people who've come together under the Tea Party banner, and how a larger national voter dissatisfaction spells trouble for incumbents in both parties.

### **Recreation/Leisure/Sports**

NOLA: MLNH 009659  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 2/8/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Saints Stun Colts for First Super Bowl Win: The New Orleans Saints defeated the Indianapolis Colts in the Super Bowl, offering hope for a city still recovering from Hurricane Katrina.

NOLA: MLNH 009671

Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 2/24/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Over the Olympics, Art Lights Vancouver's Nights Artist Rafael Lozano-Hemmer is shining another kind of spotlight on Olympic Vancouver. Internet participants can help program 10 different 10,000-watt searchlights as part of the installation called "Vectorial Elevation."

NOLA: MLNH 009674  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 3/1/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Vancouver Games End on High Note for Canada--a Hockey Gold: Canada celebrated the close of the Winter Olympics in Vancouver with its most-prized victory: a gold medal in men's hockey, thanks to Sidney Crosby's overtime goal to defeat the U.S. Gwen Ifill speaks with Canadian journalist Ian Hanomansing about the significance of the games for the host country.

NOLA: MLJX0604H  
Series Title: Mountain Lake Journal Extra  
Length: 26:46  
Airdate: 1/28/2010 8:30:00 PM  
Service: WCFE

KEEPING THE FLAME ALIVE: With the Winter Games getting underway next month in Vancouver, we look back 30-years into Olympic history to 1980 when the world came to Lake Placid.

### Religion/Ethics

NOLA: FRON 002811  
Series Title: Frontline  
Episode Title: The Suicide Tourist  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 3/2/2010 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Do we have the right to end our lives if life itself becomes unbearable, or when we enter the late-stages of painful, terminal illness? The questions, debated for centuries, have only grown more pressing in recent years as medical technology has allowed us to live longer lives, and several U.S. states have legalized physician-assisted suicide. With unique access to Dignitas, the Swiss non-profit that has helped over one thousand people die since 1998, Academy award-winning filmmaker John Zaritsky offers a revealing look a couple facing the most difficult decision of their lives--and lets us see for ourselves as one Chicago native makes the trip to Switzerland for what will become the last day of his life.

NOLA: MLJ0608H  
Series Title: Mountain Lake Journal  
Length: 26:46  
Airdate: 3/04/2010 8:00:00 PM  
Service: WCFE  
Format: HD  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

UNDER FIRE: New York Governor David Paterson has been caught up in two scandals this week. He's accused of intervening in a domestic violence case involving one of his top aides, as well as possible charges for violating the state's ethics laws by accepting free tickets to the World Series and then lying about it under oath. SUNY Plattsburgh political science professor Harvey Schantz talks about Paterson's effectiveness as Governor facing 2 scandals and a looming budget battle with lawmakers.

### Science/Technology

NOLA: MLNH 009655  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 2/2/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
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Budget Cuts Launch Debate on NASA's Future: Rather than send a man back to the moon, President Obama's proposed budget calls for a far less expensive plan of encouraging private companies to build spacecrafts for NASA to rent. But veterans of the space agency's golden years fear the decision puts NASA on a path to mediocrity.

NOLA: MLJ0610H  
Series Title: Mountain Lake Journal  
Length: 26:46  
Airdate: 3/11/2010 8:00:00 PM  
Service: WCFE  
Format: HD  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

TOP HONORS: The Trudeau Institute in Saranac Lake is ranked tops among scientists in a new survey. It comes as the world famous research lab has won a multi-million dollar grant to develop new and more effective vaccines for H1N1 and other strains of the flu. Jack LaDuke reports.

NOLA: NOVA 003706  
Series Title: NOVA  
Episode Title: Pluto Files  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 3/2/2010 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Since its discovery in 1930, Pluto has held a warm place in the public imagination. So, when the American Museum of Natural History's Hayden

Planetarium stopped calling Pluto a planet, director Neil deGrasse Tyson found himself at the center of a firestorm--a firestorm led by angry, Pluto-loving elementary school students. But what is it about this cold, distant rock that captures so many hearts? NOVA joins Tyson as he follows the amazing story of its discovery and the captivating science that surrounds this former planet, including the possibility of finding more Pluto-like planets in the mysterious Kuiper belt--an area of icy rocks at the edge of the solar system. From the scientists trying to classify Pluto to die-hard "Pluto-philes," Tyson meets a fascinating cast of characters with just one thing in common: strong opinions about Pluto. Based on Tyson's book of the same name, Pluto Files is an exciting and entertaining look at the solar system's best-loved non-planet.

### Transportation

NOLA: MLNH 009634  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/4/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

U.S. Expands Terror Watch List as Airline Security Tightens: The fallout from the failed attempt to attack an airliner bound for Detroit on Christmas Day continued Monday as the U.S. tightened security for international travelers, and the White House weighed its response to the terror fight in Yemen.

NOLA: FRON 002810  
Series Title: Frontline  
Episode Title: Flying Cheap  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 2/9/2010 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

One year after the deadliest domestic airline accident in seven years, FRONTLINE investigates the crash of Continental 3407 in Buffalo, NY, and discovers a dramatically changed airline industry, where regional carriers now account for half of the nation's daily departures. The rise of the regionals and arrival of low-cost carriers have been a huge boon to consumers, and the industry insists that the skies remain safe. But many insiders are worried that now, thirty years after airline deregulation, the aviation system is being stretched beyond its capacity to deliver service that is both cheap and safe.

NOLA: MLNH 009658  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 2/5/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

News Wrap--Toyota President Apologizes for Recall: In other news Friday, Toyota's president Akio Toyoda apologized for the brake problems that



triggered a worldwide recall, and at least 40 people are dead in Iraq from two bomb blasts targeting Shi-ite pilgrims.

### War/Veterans/National Security

NOLA: BMJL 001338  
Series Title: Bill Moyers Journal  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/15/2010 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Greg Mortenson: Author and humanitarian Greg Mortenson, whose best-selling books "Three Cups of Tea and Stones Into Schools" argue that education is the best way to peace in Afghanistan and across the Islamic world. Moyers on Priorities: A Bill Moyers Essay. Thomas Frank: WALL STREET JOURNAL correspondent and author of "The Wrecking Crew: How Conservatives Ruined Government, Enriched Themselves, And Beggared The Nation" takes a look back at the decade that was.

NOLA: NOVA 003701  
Series Title: NOVA  
Episode Title: Killer Subs in Pearl Harbor  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 1/5/2010 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

NOVA joins an exclusive dive beneath the waters of Pearl Harbor to trace new clues to the historic sinking of the USS Arizona. 1,177 crewmembers perished in the dramatic 1941 sinking of the storied battleship--the greatest loss of life in United States naval history. For decades, it has been thought that the Arizona was brought down by fire from Japanese aircraft. But the discovery of a Japanese "midget sub" far from the scene of the battle raises new questions about the Arizona's final hours. Severed into three pieces and dropped in 1,200-foot-deep water outside of the harbor, the sub matches four other vessels discovered in shallower water closer to the harbor entrance. Each of the four vessels were equipped with a pair of torpedoes--but only the torpedoes of the fifth sub are still missing, apparently fired at an unknown target. What was that submarine's mission? Why was it laid to rest so far from the harbor? What was the fate of its two-man crew? With unprecedented access to the Arizona wreckage, NOVA teams up with the Hawaii Undersea Research Lab to use manned deep submersibles in an attempt to resurrect the fifth midget submarine. Using eyewitness testimony and reports from after the attack, this program examines the possibility that this mysterious midget submarine may have been a key Japanese weapon in what became known as the day of infamy.

NOLA: WWIR 004931  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 2/5/2010 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS

Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Deficits and priorities, the beginning and the end of bipartisanship, gays in the military, and the politics of terror, tonight on Washington Week. Peter Orszag said, "One of the lingering problems in our financial markets, however, is access to credit for small businesses. That's why in this budget..." Sen. Judd Gregg (R-NH) said, "No, no, no, you can't make that type of statement with any legitimacy." Fireworks at a budget hearing? Fresh signs of broad disagreements in Washington, over spending and debt. President Barack Obama said, "We simply cannot continue to spend as if debts just don't have consequences." Over the balance of power and politics. Sen. Scott Brown (R-MA) said, "I'm hopeful that there'll be bipartisan negotiations. That's part of the problem, the fact that there is--it was always 60-40, 60-40. Over who gets to serve his or her country. Adm. Mike Mullen said, "I cannot escape being troubled by the fact that we have in place a policy which forces young men and women to lie about who they are in order to defend their fellow citizens." And over who gets prosecuted for terrorism and how. Sen. Lindsey Graham (R-SC) said, "I believe it is inappropriate to give the mastermind of 9/11 full constitutional rights of an American citizen." Washington at war. We sort through it all with the reporters covering the week: Jackie Calmes of the New York Times, Michael Duffy of Time Magazine, Nancy Youssef of McClatchy Newspapers, and Pete Williams of NBC News.

NOLA: FRON 002813  
Series Title: Frontline  
Episode Title: Behind Taliban Lines  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 2/23/2010 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

An Afghan journalist gets extraordinary access to an area that has quietly reverted back to Taliban control, and he tracks members of an insurgent cell working with Al Qaeda to sabotage a major U.S./NATO supply route.

NOLA: MLNH 009677  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 3/4/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

"Hurt Locker" Takes Flack from Iraq Vets Amid Critical Praise: The Academy Award-nominated film "The Hurt Locker" has been lauded for its portrayal of the war in Iraq, but some veterans say it paints an unfair picture of life on the ground for troops. Jeffrey Brown talks to a film critic and a veteran's advocate.

### Women

NOLA: AMEX 002204  
Series Title: Dolley Madison: American Experience  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 3/1/2010 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS

Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 01:26:46

Dolley Madison lived through the two wars that established the U.S., was friends with the first 12 Presidents, and watched America evolve from a struggling young republic to the first modern democracy in the world. She was nicknamed 'Queen Dolley' --and when she died in 1849 at the age of 81--one of the last remaining members of the founding generation. Washington City honored her with the largest state funeral the capital had ever seen for a woman.

NOLA: MLNH 009681  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 3/10/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Military's First Flying Women Honored for WWII Service: Former Women Air Force Service Pilots, or WASPs, were awarded the Congressional Gold Medal for their service during World War II. Kwame Holman reports from Wednesday's ceremony.

## Youth

NOLA: MLNH 009660  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 2/9/2010 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Michelle Obama--Team Effort Needed to Halt Childhood Obesity: In an interview with Jim Lehrer, first lady Michelle Obama said it's critically important for the future of the country to bring childhood obesity under control and encourage more physical fitness.

NOLA: INLE 001116  
Series Title: Independent Lens  
Episode Title: The Eyes of Me  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 3/28/2010 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

"The Eyes of Me" offers an up-close look at four teens that have lost their sight. The film follows their struggles to fit in, prepare for college and live independently. This extraordinary peek into the world of blind teenagers where crossing an intersection, cooking a meal or navigating unfamiliar areas can be a challenge that sighted viewers never consider.

